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Mr. Mark T. Roberts
On-Scene Coordinator
Emergency Planning and Response
United States Environmental Protection Agency
Region 7
25 Funston Road
Kansas City, Kansas 66115

Dear Mr Roberts:

Williams Pipe Line Company (WPL) appreciates the efforts which The EPA has taken to review the OPA Contingency Plans (Facility Response Plans) for the WPL facilities located at:

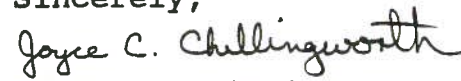
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Williams Pipe Line will consider these comments when the Contingency Plans are revised.

As the current WPL Contingency Plans meet the intent and the requirements for facility response plans in the Oil Pollution Act of 1990 (Public Law 101-380), we do not plan to initiate the revision of the plans at this time. Proposed regulations usually change considerably in response to the required public and government reviews. WPL recognizes that the facility plans may need to be revised when the regulations are finally promulgated. It is our understanding that the final EPA OPA regulations should be published in mid-June. After the publication of these regulations WPL will initiate revision of the OPA Contingency Plans.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me at 918/588-3377.

Sincerely,


Joyce C. Chillingworth
Environmental Engineer